

## House Resolution No. 3444

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Andrew George "Andy" Brooks of Kansas City, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on June 12, 2005, at St. Thomas More Catholic Church; and

**Whereas**, Andy, a member of Boy Scout Troop 601, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved a food collection for Operation Breakthrough; and

**Whereas**, during his seven years in Scouting, Andy mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, twenty-five merit badges, the World Conservation Award, membership in the Trailblazers, and the status of warrior in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

**Whereas**, Andy demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Scribe, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, and Troop Guide; and

**Whereas**, the son of Jim and Gwen Brooks, Andy developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation for five years and going on a Packard High Adventure; and

**Whereas**, Andy's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Andy Brooks for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Andrew George Brooks.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Kate Meiners  
District No. 46

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3444, adopted May 18, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker